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VERIFIED INFO

- ❖ IT platform is working better than the previous, so we expect return to normality in 2025
- ❖ **No** other competition will be **PUBLISHED** before end 2024
- ❖ **AD5 Generalist won't be published in 2024**

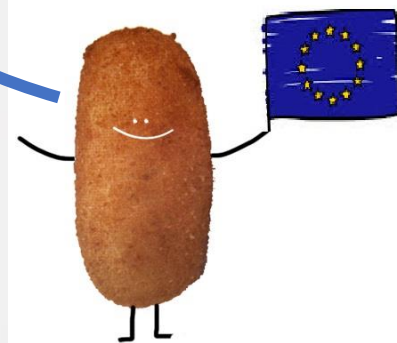
OUR ASSUMPTIONS

- ❖ We don't expect AD5 Generalist exam before spring 2025
- ❖ We can assume the AD5 content will need updates under new Commission (College, priorities, figures)
- ❖ EPSO will announce some 2025 competitions already before the year ends



SOME FEEDBACK FROM THE TRANSPORT COMPETITION

Thank you to
the +100
candidates
who trusted us



Languages will be used in different phases of the competition as follows:

Competition phase	Tests	Language
Application	—	Any of the 24 official EU languages
Testing	Reasoning tests	Language 1
	Field-related MCQ test	Language 2
	Written test	Language 2

The tests of the candidates' reasoning abilities will be organised as follows:

Test	Language	No of questions	Duration	Pass score
Verbal reasoning	Language 1	20 questions	35 min	10/20
Numerical reasoning		10 questions	20 min	Numerical and abstract reasoning combined: 10/20
Abstract reasoning		10 questions	10 min	

- Careful with verbal reasoning
- Interface fine except for numerical
- Strategic approach in the numerical

(b) Field-related MCQ test

The field-related MCQ test will be organised as follows:

Test	Language	No of questions	Duration	Scoring	Pass score
Field-related MCQ test	Language 2	30	40 minutes	0 to 30	20/30

MCQ test : Not too demanding

Content wise it wasn't too technical (transport policy) – see examples

1. Which country has more containers registered
2. Where is EASA headquarters located?
3. Who can negotiate aviation agreements?
4. The Parliament can make transport proposals....(select what it's right)

WRITTEN TEST – 45 min

- ☐ One single text (real EC document)
- ☐ Text provided 2 weeks in advance
- ☐ If prepared in advance, it's relatively simple
- ☐ How much can you write/type in 45 min?
- ☐ Interface rudimentary but enough for the task
- ☐ Practice = time management is the key



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How do we apply the lessons learnt?



EPSO/AD/412/24 - Statistics

Reasoning tests	25/10/2024	10:00
Field-related MCQ test	25/10/2024	13:00
Written test	25/10/2024	15:30

EPSO/AD/411/23 - Nuclear

Reasoning tests	13/11/2024	10:00
Field-related MCQ test	13/11/2024	13:00
Written test	13/11/2024	15:30

EPSO/AST/156/24 - Assistans

Reasoning tests	18/12/2024	10:00
Field-related MCQ test	18/12/2024	13:00
EUFTE	18/12/2024	15:30

EPSO/AD/403/23 - Crisis and Migration

Reasoning tests	08/01/2025	10:00
Field-related MCQ test	08/01/2025	13:00
Written test	08/01/2025	15:30

EPSO/AD/402/23 – Economics – Fields 1/2/3

Reasoning tests	30/01/2025	10:00
Field-related MCQ test	30/01/2025	13:00
Written test	30/01/2025	15:30

Under new EPSO test model

- The whole day –long day
- Same time for everyone
- Platform reasonable stable but do the testing
- Same test(s) for all
- Full practice (day long as in the real exam) is needed
- More details on the MCQ content in our webinars



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SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH ADMINISTRATORS (AD7) – 5th November

Scientific research administrators (AD 7) in the following fields:

- Environmental and climate sciences, engineering, and economics
- Energy science and sustainability
- ICT and (cyber)security
- Data analysis, research, and applications for evidence-based decision-making
- Research and applications in artificial intelligence, machine learning, and complex systems
- Space applications and geo-information technologies
- Health and consumer protection
- Transport science and sustainable mobility
- Social, economic, and political sciences
- Behavioural science, economics, and education

- Real scientific experience required
- TESTs expected
 - CBT
 - To be seen type of MCQ (general / per profile)
 - Written test (same for all)

Wait for the notice and our webinar (6th November) to confirm all this



Translators (AD5)– 3rd December

- (DK) Danish
- (EL) Greek
- (EN) English
- (ES) Spanish
- (FR) French
- (IT) Italian
- (MT) Maltese
- (NL) Dutch

- It's AD 5 so no relevant experience required or minimal (1year)
- 3 languages requirement
- Last competition was in 2017 (old EPSO model)
- TESTs (under new EPSO model)
 - CBT
- Combination of the following
 - Language comprehension tests **and/or**
 - Translation tests **and/or**
 - Revision test **and/or**
 - Other types of language knowledge tests
- We can expect 3 tests at least

Wait for the notice and our webinar (4th December) to confirm all this

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On going	INTERNAL- AST3 - European Commission	Oral test
25 October 2024	AD6-AD7 Statistics - EPSO/AD/412/24	CBT
		MCQ
		WRITTEN
13 November 2024	AD7 Nuclear - EPSO/AD/411/23	CBT
		MCQ
		WRITTEN
18 December 2024	AST3 Assistants - EPSO/AST/156/24	CBT
		MCQ
		Free-text Essay on EU matters (EUFTE)
08 January 2025	AD7 Crisis & Migration - EPSO/AD/403/23	CBT
		MCQ
		WRITTEN
30 January 2025	AD6 Economist - EPSO/AD/402/23	CBT
		MCQ
		WRITTEN



Overview

- CBT is always there (don't get overconfident)
- MCQ adjusted to the competition and linked to the notice (check our webinars for full details)
- Written and EUFTE will have materials in advance- both assess the same competency (Communication) only changes the material.

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On going	INTERNAL- AST3 - European Commission	Oral test	Oral Test (presentation + Interview)
25 October 2024	AD6-AD7 Statistics - EPSO/AD/412/24	CBT	CBT (ES) (comienza 7 octubre)
			CBT (EN) - show your interest
		MCQ	MCQ - Field 1 -Data Statistics
			MCQ - Field 2 - Macroeconomic statistics
		WRITTEN	WRITTEN workshop (open soon)
13 November 2024	AD7 Nuclear - EPSO/AD/411/23	CBT	CBT (ES) (comienza 7 octubre)
			CBT (EN) - show your interest
		MCQ	Check our webinar
		WRITTEN	WRITTEN workshop (open soon)
18 December 2024	AST3 Assistants - EPSO/AST/156/24	CBT	CBT (ES) (comienza 7 octubre)
			CBT (EN) - show your interest
		MCQ	MCQ - Field 1 - Financial
			MCQ - Field 2- Accounting
			Field 3- Procurement
		Free-text Essay on EU matters (EUFTE)	Free-text Essay on EU matters (EUFTE)
08 January 2025	AD7 Crisis & Migration - EPSO/AD/403/23	CBT	CBT (ES) (comienza 7 octubre)
			CBT (EN) - show your interest
		MCQ	MCQ - Crisis
			MCQ - Migration
		WRITTEN	WRITTEN workshop (open soon)
30 January 2025	AD6 Economist - EPSO/AD/402/23	CBT	CBT (ES) (comienza 7 octubre)
			CBT (EN) - show your interest
		MCQ	Available for Field 1 / Field 2 / Field 3
		WRITTEN	WRITTEN workshop (open soon)



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NEW COMPETITIONS

DATE	COMPETITION	TEST	 YSE TRAINING  <small>YASEMOSEUROPEOS.COM</small>
Autumn 2024	INTERNAL - European Commission	MCQ + WRITTEN	<u>Available (live sessions and individual corrections)</u>
		MCQ	<u>Available MCQ self study</u>
		WRITTEN	WRITTEN training (with individual corrections) (available the day the new notice is published)
05 November 2024	Scientific research administrators (AD 7) - multiples fields	Webinar to analyse the call - 6th November Training after the notice become available	
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WE WANT YOU!